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## Haircut benefit

Event will aid youth center

Area residents looking a little shaggy can get a free haircut or style May 21 while at the same time contributing toward the establishment of a youth center in Granite City.

From 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on that day, hair stylists from all over Granite City will be participating in a cut-a-thon to benefit the Mayor's Youth Center.

The event will be held at the Academy of Beauty Culture, 1515 Edison Avenue. Each person who receives a haircut or style will be asked to contribute a minimum \$10 donation toward the Mayor's Youth Center, a not-for-profit organization.

All proceeds will be used to establish a youth center in Granite City.

Appointments are not necessary.

Mayor Ron Selph has been spearheading the drive for establishment of a youth center in Granite City as part of the fulfillment of a campaign pledge.

Selph has obtained tax-exempt status for the youth center as a not-for-profit organization and has appointed a 20-person board of directors.

The drive received a major boost last month when Joe Glik pledged a \$100,000 donation.



Sheila Morgan of the Academy of Beauty Culture gives Mayor Ron Selph a haircut.

(Staff photo by BOB SLATE)

## Shooting prompts debate

Store employee, youths exchange gunfire

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

The Madison County State's Attorney's office has declined to file charges against a Venice store employee who exchanged shots with two youths Saturday.

However, one of the youths, Christopher Haynes, 17, of the 1300 block of Klein, was charged Wednesday with aggravated discharge of a firearm, a Class I felony, in the incident. A second juvenile has not been charged yet, according to Venice police.

The shooting sparked a heated exchange at Tuesday's Venice City Council Meeting, where aldermen

debated whether the store employee was wantonly endangering nearby residents or lawfully defending himself.

According to police, at about 5 p.m. Saturday, April 15, the two youths walked into Adams Market, 1001 Logan, and started yelling obscenities and racial slurs. After an employee ordered them out of the store and started to force them out, Haynes allegedly pulled a small handgun and fired several shots.

The store employee also allegedly pulled a handgun — a .22 caliber semi-automatic — but it would not fire. He then ran behind the counter, got a .38 revolver, and ran outside after the two. At some point he fired one shot at

the two. Because they were answering another serious call — a hit-and-run involving a child — Venice officers were not the first on the scene.

Police recovered both the store worker's guns. One shot had been fired from the revolver.

They also noted two bullet holes inside the building, and recovered a bullet near a broken bottle.

The store worker was able to identify Haynes. Both Haynes and the juvenile later surrendered to police. The alleged gun used by Haynes was never recovered.

At Tuesday's meeting, Alderman

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## Courthouse security studied

Sheriff calls for added caution

By Scott Wuerz  
Staff writer

Concern among Madison County department heads over the possibility of a disaster like the Oklahoma City bombing has inspired Sheriff Bob Churchich and County Board Chairman Nelson Hagauer to call a special security meeting sometime this week.

"We just have to be a little bit more cautious because the tragedy in Oklahoma proves something like that could happen anywhere," Churchich said. "We're going to get everyone together to discuss concerns and possible improvements to security in the courthouse and administration building."

Madison County Circuit Clerk Matt Melucci said his employees are concerned because the bombing reminds public servants of how dangerous their jobs can be.

"We're always concerned about security because tragedies can happen so fast," Melucci said. "It just took a couple of seconds to park a car in front of that building."

"But we do feel pretty well protected at the courthouse. We have easy access to security and they're spread out in the building in such a way that they can

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immediately respond to any part of the building."

Director of Courthouse Security Don Bridick said he is confident county buildings are safe already.

"We've made no changes in policy," Bridick said. "Something like that could happen here just as easy as anywhere, but I can't remember any bomb threats made in the past."

Madison County Clerk Debbie Saltich said her office has received threatening calls in the past.

"Whenever we get calls like that we follow policy to the letter, which means we not only notify security, but Edwardsville police as well," Saltich said. "It really makes you stop and think, but you can never be careful enough to be completely safe from something like that."

Saltich said she was especially affected by the bombing because she has family in Oklahoma.

"They live about 10 miles from Oklahoma City and the sound of the blast woke them up," Saltich said.

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Pot allegedly worth \$1 million

## U.S. drug trial opens

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Two Granite City men — including a city employee who is the son of a former alderman — allegedly possessed marijuana with a street value of more than \$1 million last November.

The federal drug trial of Doug Turnbough, of the 2700 block of Buxton Avenue, and Gerald E. Whitmer, of the 2900 block of Madison Avenue, began Thursday in U.S. District Court in East St. Louis.

Both Turnbough and Whitmer face federal charges of conspiracy to distribute marijuana, possession of more than 100 kilograms of marijuana with the intent to distribute it, and possession with intent to distribute in a school zone. Turnbough faces additional charges of possession of a firearm during a drug trafficking crime and possession of a firearm with no registration or serial

number.

Kathy Jo Stull, also of the 2700 block of Buxton Avenue, faces drug possession charges as well. She will be tried separately.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Randy Massey told the jury Thursday that drug agents discovered about 700 pounds of marijuana in six 55-gallon drums at Central Freight Lines in Pharr, Texas, on Oct. 27 of last year.

Each of the drums contained seven or eight large bundles of marijuana wrapped in duct tape and smeared with mustard, special agent Lydia Espinoza of the McAllen Multi-Agency Drug Task Force said.

After obtaining a search warrant and searching the drums, agents allowed them to be delivered to their intended destination — D and D Trailer Repair, 2200 West Chain of Rocks Road near

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### Coming Wednesday . . .

News: Hearing aid helps local student.

## Annual track meet slated this Tuesday

The annual Madison County Track Meet for boys and girls, sponsored by regional superintendent of schools Harry A. Briggs, will be held Tuesday at the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville track.

In case of rain, Wednesday has been selected as the alternate date for the meet.

Field events will begin at 3 p.m. and running events will begin at 3:30 p.m. There will be one girls' meet and one boys' meet. Everyone will run in one division. In the past, the meet was broken up into the Red

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## Sports spotlight



Harry Briggs at the SIUE track

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## LOCAL NEWS

# Furloughed to fight

## Released for two weeks, man is arrested for assault

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

A Venice man sentenced to six years on a burglary conviction was given a two-week furlough earlier this month to settle his affairs.

Unfortunately, authorities said, one of those affairs apparently was an assault on one of the witnesses against him.

According to Venice police, Travon L. Watt, 23, was arrested at about 10:30 Wednesday evening after twice attempting to assault a witness with a pair of leg shackles stolen from the police department earlier in the day.

Watt had been arrested earlier in the day on a public intoxication charge, but was released after the complainant declined to press charges. While at the station, he

allegedly took the leg shackles and an engraving pen while officers were occupied with other matters.

Police said Friday that he had been charged with aggravated assault and theft.

On April 10, Watt pleaded guilty to burglary and was sentenced to six years in prison. However, he was given a one-week furlough to get his affairs in order. After turning himself in at the end of that week, he was given another week.

Sgt. Theo Adams of the Venice police department said Watt was scheduled to turn himself in again on Monday.

According to reports, at about 6 p.m., Watt was arrested for public intoxication but released after the witness declined to prosecute.

At approximately 9:02 p.m., police were dispatched to a fight in progress in the 300

block of Broadway. Officers saw Watt and the witness fighting. At the time, Watt struck the witness on the head with the shackles.

After seeing the police, he fled the scene. At 10:25 p.m., police responded to a fight at the home of the witness. Officers observed the two fighting in the back of the house.

Watt attempted to escape, but was tackled by an officer. As Watt resisted, he was pepper-maced by another officer. According to reports, Watt was combative while being transported to the police department, and while in the holding cell.

As of Thursday afternoon, Watt was still in custody at the Venice Police Department.

"The police department does not appreciate people being released on furlough," Adams said. "It gives defendants a chance to get back at victims and witnesses."

# Woman charged with helping attack boy, 10

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

A Venice woman wanted on an outstanding assault warrant is facing another assault charge after allegedly involving herself in a schoolhouse fight between her daughter and another child Thursday afternoon.

According to police, Angela Michelle Williams, 32, of the 1000 block of Klein Street, allegedly held down a 10-year-old boy while her two daughters beat him. Police said they were not seeking charges against the two girls.

Williams, who also had an outstanding assault warrant from St. Clair County, was in custody at the Venice police department Friday morning.

According to police reports, the boy said he was walking in an alley in the 600 block of Jefferson about 3:30 p.m. when the two girls started chasing him. He ran onto a porch, but the owner, not realizing what was

going on, ordered the children to leave.

As the boy was leaving, Williams allegedly came up behind him and grabbed him by the neck, telling her daughters to beat him.

Witnesses broke up the fight, allowing the boy to escape. Police investigating the incident reported the boy had abrasions on his neck. They also had several witnesses who reported the assault.

In a voluntary statement to police, Williams said one of her daughters and the boy were in a fight at school Wednesday, and she was told the two were fighting again Thursday afternoon. As she arrived on the scene, she said the boy left.

Williams claimed she did not touch the boy, but refused to take a polygraph test. Police discovered the outstanding warrant after learning Williams' full name.

# Brown appearance to aid crisis center

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

When Denise Brown speaks at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville on April 29, officials of the Phoenix Crisis Center hope a lot of people are there to listen.

The center, a nonprofit organization providing shelter, counseling and other services for battered women, is using Brown's visit as a much needed fund raiser.

Brown, who has helped found the Nicole Brown Simpson Foundation in honor of her slain sister, will be speaking about domestic violence and the effects on the family at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 29, at the Vandalia Center at SIUE.

"We are especially proud that Denise is coming to our aid on our 10th anniversary of providing services to victims," said Carol Lee Chiappa, director of the Phoenix Crisis Center.

"I consider this our celebration of survival. The day of her speech will also mark the ending of the observation of the National Crime Victims Rights Week."

Browns will also be introducing the "Hands are for Hitting" program.

The program is based on a pledge that a person's hand will not be used for violence, according to Chiappa.

"Until all of us know this, understand this, and practice this, none of us will be safe," she said. "Although this prevention program will initially be introduced to our children, it is a tool of enlightenment and prevention to all ages."

Annie Hughes, a volunteer at the center, said it needs funds desperately or the center may have to close.

"It's probably the most important fund raiser we ever had," she said. "When we met with Denise several months ago, she asked us 'What can I do to help?'"

Hughes said the shelter is in desperate need of funds.

"It seems like we're always hanging on by our fingernails," she said. "Several weeks ago our water heater was broken, and it was three weeks before we could get a new water heater. It's a really sad state of affairs."

Tickets cost \$8 per person, or \$6 for students, and can be purchased at the Providence Wellness Center at 2103 Iowa St., Granite City, and Expressions! J & M Designs, 18 E. Main St., Belleville.

Tickets will also be on sale at a fund raiser today, Sunday, from 11 a.m. until closing, at Crehan's Irish Pub, 6401 W. Main St., Belleville.

For information, contact the Phoenix Crisis Center at 451-1008.

# Alzheimer's program scheduled

Carol Jean Minger of the Alzheimer's Association will be at Colonial Care Center, 3900 Stearns Ave., Granite City, at 3 p.m. Monday, April 24. She will present a program on understanding the Alzheimer's disease process and its effects on family and friends.

This presentation is open to the public. Staff members at Colonial Care Center encourage everyone to come. Refreshments will be served. Anyone needing information should contact Glenda Oliver at Colonial Care Center, 831-3900.



**Service awards** — Service awards for the Illinois Association for Parks and Recreation were presented to Barry Loman and Randall Robertson at the conference for the association's January meeting in Chicago. Loman has been a commissioner for the Granite City Park District for 42 years; Robertson has been an attorney for the district for 46 years. Above, from left, are Loman, Nancy Sanders, park district president, and Robertson.

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**Hometown heroes** — More than 400 people gathered last Thursday at the Living World in the St. Louis Zoo to honor 25 Hardee's Hometown Heroes. The event is sponsored annually by Hardee's, KPLR-TV and the *Suburban Journals*. Seated from left are Hometown Heroes Robert Brooks of Centreville, Myrlene Kriz of Granite City, Thomas Qualls of Washington Park, and Dewitt Rule II of East St. Louis. Standing from left are Hometown Hero Alfonso Becherer of Belleville, Dan Neumann of KPLR-TV, Hometown Heroes Dr. Emil Jason of Edwardsville, Flora Perkins of East St. Louis, and Zerita Geldig of Belleville, Tim Petsch of Hardee's and Scott Queen of the *Suburban Journals*.

## School menus

### Granite City Public Schools

**Monday** — Breakfast: Ham and egg burrito with cheese, juice; lunch: Pizza slices, tater tots, sliced apples.  
**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Biscuits, sausage patty, mixed fruit; lunch: Barbecued rib sandwich on bun, green beans, sliced peaches, peanut butter cookie.  
**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, juice; lunch: Baked ham dinner, tossed salad with light dressing, carrots, chilled pineapple, slice of bread.  
**Thursday** — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, toast, apple sauce; lunch: Taco with cheese and lettuce, slice of bread, corn, plums.  
**Friday** — Breakfast: Cereal, toast, sliced apples; lunch: Fish dinner, macaroni and cheese, mixed vegetables, apple sauce, bread.

**Madison Public Schools**  
**Monday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Chicken, fries, corn, apricots, bread.  
**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Scrambled eggs, toast, juice; lunch: Pizza pocket, oven fries, peas.

**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Spaghetti with meat sauce, garlic bread, spinach, mixed fruit.  
**Thursday** — Breakfast: Blueberry cake, doughnut, juice; lunch: Taco salad with cheese, Texas toast, peaches, iced juice.  
**Friday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Fish sandwich, macaroni and cheese, slaw, apple sauce.

**Venice Public Schools**  
**Monday** — Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, fruit cup; lunch: Pizzaburger, bun, baked beans, potato rounds, peaches.  
**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Cereal, toast, fresh fruit; lunch: Pork and gravy, rice, spinach, apple sauce, bread.  
**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, ham slice, orange juice; lunch: Barbecued chicken, whipped potatoes, sweet peas, fruit cocktail, bread.  
**Thursday** — Breakfast: Bacon, eggs, toast, juice; lunch: Sliced ham, sweet potatoes, corn, peaches, bread.  
**Friday** — Breakfast: Sausage patty, biscuit, grape juice; lunch: Fish on bun, macaroni and

cheese, pickles, onions, homemade cake, peaches.

**Holy Family**  
**Monday** — Sloppy Joe on bun, sliced cheese, pickles, French fries, potato, corn, chocolate pudding.  
**Tuesday** — Salisbury steak, potatoes, gravy, green beans, buttered bread, apple sauce.  
**Wednesday** — Taco with meat, cheese, lettuce and tomato; peanut butter sandwich; refried beans; blueberries.  
**Thursday** — Spaghetti with meat sauce, cheese chunks, salad, buttered bread, cherry cobbler.  
**Friday** — Scrambled eggs, ham, hash brown, mixed fruit, biscuit with honey.

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## Park district's 2nd one-day trip planned

The Granite City Park District will offer the second one-day trip of the season on Thursday, May 25, to southern Illinois.

The trip will go on sale Thursday, April 27. The cost will be \$32 per person and will include an "all-you-can-eat" chicken dinner at noon at the rustic Giant City Lodge and State Park. This will be a full-course meal with dumplings, dressing, potatoes, gravy, slaw, green beans, rolls and homemade cobbler.

The group will leave early in order to make all the stops of the day that are planned. The Craft Center in the tiny town of Ava will be the first stop where 83-year-old Helen Killian and her staff make hand-made rugs from 19th century maple wood looms. People come from miles around to purchase the

rugs made from strips of old clothing. They are for sale on a per inch basis. The center also sells placemats, handbags, quilts and necklaces made from seeds.

Also in Ava will be a stop at the LeVans Vineyards, where the grapevines should be blooming and chilled, fresh grape juice will be enjoyed. This is not a winery, but a vineyard.

After lunch, in the lodge, will be time to browse the Makanda National Forest. This old town used to be a stop on the railroad where train workers could freshen their supplies but has now turned into an artists' community where artists have chosen to live for the beauty of the area. Many beautiful handmade items will be for sale there. The Lawrence Box and Basket Factory in

Cobden, Ill., where fruit baskets are made on the old original machinery is one of the last remaining genuine basket factories.

Baskets in all sizes will be available for sale. The tour will then head to the famous Bald Knob Cross in Alto Pass. Built as a monument to peace in 1903, the cross stands 111 feet tall and when illuminated at night can be seen over an area of 7,500 square miles. The cross was a personal project of the late Wayne Presley and built by donations of people across the land. At the top of the mountain where the cross stands is a reception area where the bus group will be able to enjoy freshly made funnel cakes if they wish.

If more information is needed, call Sue Champion, tour coordinator, at her residence or at the Wilson Park office at 877-3059.

### Upcoming

### Health & Wellness Programs

■ **COMMUNITY HEALTH SCREENING, Wednesday, May 10, 5-7 P.M., at the hospital.** Cholesterol \$8, Body Fat Analysis \$10, or \$15 for both. (Free blood pressure check.) By appointment only — at extension 1156.

■ **HOSPICE CARE FOR CANCER, ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE & OTHER TERMINAL ILLNESSES, Tuesday, May 16, 2-3:30 p.m., St. Elizabeth's Hospital.** Presented by: Diane Smith, executive director, Family Hospice; Marsha Bucks, patient care coordinator; Darrell Atkins, Family Hospice chaplain; and Nancy Paul, geriatric consultant. To register for this free Sr. VIP-sponsored program, call extension 1575.

■ **HEART HEALTHY SCREENING, Friday, May 19, 10 a.m. - noon, Millstadt Senior Center.** Cholesterol, Diabetes & Blood Pressure Check — \$8. By appointment only. Sponsors: St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville Area College's PSOP, and St. Clair County Health Department. Register by May 17, call 476-3731, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

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# Pontoon Beach agrees to help Khoury League

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

The Pontoon Beach Village Board has agreed to provide up to \$2,600 to help purchase dirt for the Khoury League's ball fields near the intersection of Illinois 111 and Pontoon Road.

At an ad hoc meeting Tuesday, the board informally agreed to pay for the dirt. The actual vote will be taken at next Tuesday's meeting.

The money will be taken from the village's tourism fund. It will be used to pay for approximately 200 loads of dirt that will be used to prepare the league's three ball fields.

Tourism funds can be used for projects that attract visitors to the village. Tracy Bandy, league president, said Khoury officials said they would have at least one tournament later in the year. That tournament would be

a week-long affair and would bring in visitors.

Bandy had requested some kind of help at last week's village board meeting. She had originally asked for help in obtaining about 400 loads of dirt, but said 200 would make the fields playable.

League play is scheduled to begin in early May. She said one field is completely finished.

The money will be used to purchase dirt at \$14 per load. The dirt is being hauled to the site free of charge by Gary Wright Truck Service.

Trustee Randy Presswood said he could obtain free dirt, but the league would have to pay for the hauling, which would be far more expensive.

Village officials were enthusiastic about the project.

The only objection was from Mayor Glen Wilson, who questioned investing in fields that

were not owned by either the league or village.

The league has a three-year lease on property owned by Pontoon Beach Baptist Church. At the end of three years, the league has a 99-year option to renegotiate the lease.

"I think it's a great idea," Wilson said of the league. "If it belonged to the village it would not be a big deal."

"I'm just a little leery about putting that much money into dirt if we can't get anything out of it in three years."

At that point Trustee Irene Karlechik pointed out that over three years, \$2,600 was not that much money.

That brings the amount of village support to the league to \$7,100. The board had approved \$4,500 for backstops. Bandy said about \$3,300 has been spent so far; the rest will be paid when the backstops are completed.



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**Restored** — Venice Lincoln Technical Center's school superintendent Wilbur Glasper cuts the ribbon on the newly restored machine shop Tuesday morning. The machine shop was destroyed during the 1993 flood.

## Taste for delicacy is mushrooming

The signs of spring for some people are not brightly colored tulips and daffodils but the wrinkled, brown surfaces of morel mushrooms.

A delicacy found only on the spongy, springtime floors of leaf-strewn wooded areas, morels are known for their nutty, nutty flavor.

Deep-fried, sautéed or cooked in omelettes and stews, morels are just about everybody's favorite fungus.

"I like them breaded and fried," said Grafton fisherman Jim Beasley, who is selling jumbo-sized morels at his fish market for about \$15 a pound. "We whip up some egg and milk and roll them in mashed cracker crumbs. That's the way we like them best."

Beasley said his annual supply of mushrooms begins arriving about this time every year from local "shroom" hunters who know where and when they can be found.

"Everybody has their own special spot they like to hunt them, but they're the same kind of places," Beasley said. "On hillsides, they'll be around dead elms and ash trees. In the bottoms, around live sycamores and cottonwoods. I don't know why, but that's where they seem to be."

Hamburg mushroomer Randy Watters said he hasn't picked many so far this season, but not for lack of trying.

"I've been looking in the woods on south-facing hillsides around my home, but I haven't

been very lucky. I've been hearing of a few people who are beginning to find them, so I'd say they're just starting (to come up)."

Recent rain and warm weather are perfect conditions for mushroom cultivation, so Watters said he hopes to be able to cook up a mess of morels soon. "My whole family likes it when I flour them and fry them up."

Mushroom season typically lasts only a few weeks a year, which may be one reason the fleshy fungus is so popular.

Beasley said Mother Nature often seems to go out of her way to make them hard to find.

"Towards the end of the season, the grass gets too tall, and it's harder to spot them," he said. "My two boys do real well, though. But they're 5 and 6 years old, so I guess they're closer to the ground and they can see them better."

Grafton fish market owner Oliver Ready said he just sold 18 pounds of morels that came from the Missouri River bottoms.

"The first bunches of the year usually get eaten," Ready said, laughing. "We should start getting in a lot of them now, if they found that many."

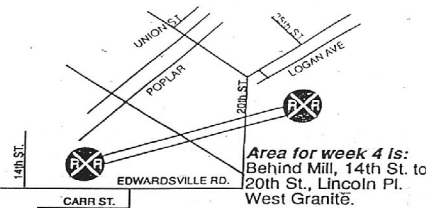
Morels can be found in the dark and light variety, he said, and both are just as good to eat. "They're all the same. I'm not a mushroom authority, but I know that much."

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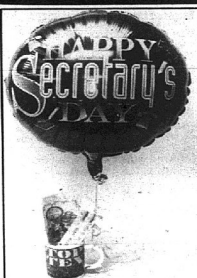
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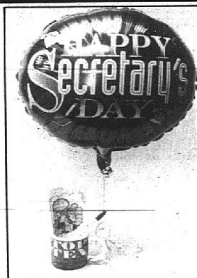
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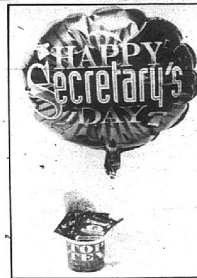
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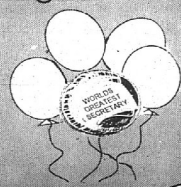


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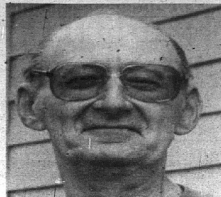
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## Day-care providers fear food cuts

By Nicole Vaughn  
Staff writer

Child-care providers — and the parents who rely on them — are watching with keen interest the Senate debate over the Personal Responsibility Act.

The reason? One of the many food and nutrition programs at stake in cuts proposed by the Republican-backed welfare bill is the Childcare Food Program.

Through the program, day-care centers and licensed day-care homes are reimbursed for serving nutritious meals and snacks to the children they care for.

Linda Aldrich, who cares for five children in her Maryville home, said she may be forced to raise her rates if she can't be reimbursed for the food she

"Either parents will be able to come up with the extra money or they'll have to find day care somewhere else. That may mean they will opt for lesser quality day care."

— Sherry Williams  
Child Daycare Association

serves.

"I locked my rate in until October so I might have to adjust it then," Aldrich said. "The funding helps out a lot." Aldrich provides breakfast, lunch and a snack every day for each of the children ages 9 months to 3 years.

All of those meals must comply with menu requirements established by the United States Department of Agriculture. Sherry Williams, field coordinator for the Child

Daycare Association in Edwardsville, said that the loss of funding for the food program would have a "snowball effect" on day-care homes.

"Either parents will be able to come up with the extra money or they'll have to find day care somewhere else," Williams said. "That may mean they will opt for lesser quality day care."

Williams said that licensed day-care homes help not only the provider by giving them some credentials, but also help

parents to pick qualified individuals to care for their children.

"Licensing is a safety net," Williams said. "You get that extra set of eyes that can occasionally drop in and see how things are going and check on things like nutrition and sanitation. The food program is an incentive to license."

Williams said the loss of funding for the food program at day cares may ultimately cause some parents to resort to unlicensed day care. And she said it could mean a "double-edged sword" for home day-care providers.

"Many home day-care providers do it in order to stay home with their own children," Williams said. "If they are forced back into a regular workplace, then that would mean more children in need of day care and less homes to provide it."



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# Aged, young count on each other

Editor's note: This column is being reprinted from Thursday's Press-Record, where several paragraphs were inadvertently transposed.

Next month, there will be a fourth — and last in this century — White House Conference on Aging.

Despite its title, the conference will deal with people of all ages. Its theme is "The Generations Are Interdependent."

Illinoisans' proposals for the May 2-5 meeting in Washington include:

- Fighting drug abuse by building children's self-esteem.
- Funding health-screening and exercise for infants, toddlers, elementary pupils and high-school students.
- Guaranteeing that Social Security will still be paying benefits when the 2,559 conference delegates' grandchildren prepare to retire.

Although basically forums for discussion, the previous White House conferences have had tangible results:

- In 1961, the theme was "The Nation and Its Older People." More than 2,500 delegates made 947 recommendations. Their work contributed to later passage of such landmark legislation as Medicare, Medicaid and the Older Americans Act of 1965.

— In 1971, the theme was "Toward a National Policy on Aging."

Delegates numbering 3,574 produced 710 recommendations, leading to laws enabling Supplemental Security Income benefits, the Older Americans Nutrition Program, Home Care, the National Institute of Aging and the House Select Committee on Aging.

— In 1981, 1,800 participated and developed 663 recommendations. Their efforts contributed to the Social Security Reform amendments of 1983.



Bill Winter

Regarding the 1995 conference, President Bill Clinton says: "An older America must soon face a new century. The conference will allow us to plan for this challenge by working together to build policy recommendations for the 21st century. We owe this to future generations."

The meeting is being organized by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Among those participating will be Cabinet officials, agency heads and senior White House staff members.

Health and Human Services Secretary Donna E. Shalala says it is hoped to avoid grandiose plans that have little chance of enactment. Instead, the conference may produce "a short, pragmatic report that is doable."

She says four broad issues will be:

1. Assuring comprehensive health care, including long-term care.
2. Promoting economic security.
3. Maximizing housing and support services options.
4. Winning options for a quality life.

Another topic, Shalala says, will be "How do we crack down on waste, fraud and abuse plaguing programs for the aging population?"

How can we make government more effective? We're not coming together to create new bureaucracies, but to evaluate the way the government does its business.

"We've got a unique set of challenges this year because we're meeting in an atmosphere of cost-containment."

"Our theme is a composite of two proposals submitted for public comment: America now and in the next century. And, generations aging together with independence, opportunity and dignity."

"This conference will be about convincing young people that they have to plan for their old age."

Planners note that the linking of several generations is not being done solely because senior citizens wish the best for their children and grandchildren. There also is the realization that, for example, drug abuse by teenagers and young adults generates crime that endangers older people.

Conversely, would maintenance of existing Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid

programs be so costly that it endangers the level of benefits available to future generations?

In suggesting health-screening and fitness programs for young people, Illinois delegates say that relatively inexpensive preventive measures can reduce the high cost of future ailments, accidents and medical care.

They further spotlight stress management, emotional-health counseling and substance-abuse treatment.

Also being emphasized are transportation and other services that help the ill and infirm stay in their homes rather than moving to a nursing home.

In regional forums, seniors also have urged less discrimination on the basis of age, increased respect for the elderly, and a practical idea: eliminating child-proof bottle tops on medicine for aging arthritis victims.

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## Gardens for Kids

Here's some info on what's hot and what's not

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Last year in this column, you may remember, we talked about children's gardening and all the rewards it can offer. If you'd like to get your child started with a garden of his or her very own, the National Garden Bureau has some excellent ideas.

First, a child's garden should be the way the child wants it. The rows don't necessarily have to be even and straight. You need some planning, not a lot, though, of what should go where. Let the child do it his or her way for the most part and the enthusiasm for the project will be kept high.

Above all, let the kids plant what they want to. Naturally, each child is different, but the National Garden Bureau has done some research on the subject and came up with some universal favorites among children. They reported their findings in the March, 1995 newsletter, and we'd like to pass them along.

Carrots are definitely a favorite with children. Although nobody really seems certain exactly why, stories like Peter Rabbit may have something to do with it. This may explain the fact that many kids don't mind if their carrot crop gets shared with neighborhood rodents.

Corn is another veggie that ranks high on the popularity list. One corn plant will produce only 1 or 2 ears, so plan for that. And since corn grows so tall, it should be planted on the north side of the garden so it doesn't shade other plants.

Children may not consider a pumpkin a vegetable, but they love to grow them. A child growing his or her own pumpkin and carving it up for Halloween is an experience, indeed. At the Brooklyn Botanic Garden's Children's Garden, they have an "adopt-a-pumpkin" program where kids get to grow and check their pumpkins. They like to see who can grow the biggest.

Here's one that may come as a surprise. Many kids like peppers. Sweet peppers, that is, definitely not the hot ones. Most kids don't like

fiery cuisine, and besides, if they handle hot peppers and rub their eyes, it can really cause some pain.

Any more surprises as to what's popular with children in a garden? Okra, herbs and broccoli. Many children consider okra a "neat plant to grow" for a number of reasons, younger children like the touch and smell of herbs, and broccoli looks like little trees.

Veggies with colors that are out of the ordinary are also popular, such as red lettuce, yellow watermelon, purple beans and the like.

As for spinach, the answer is what you'd expect, and that's generally a no. Someone tried placing a picture of Popeye next to some spinach, but all they got was a laugh. Generally, the kids aren't wild about it. Swiss Chard falls into the same category.

You should always keep in mind that weeding is a chore that will probably be overlooked by the kids. They don't like to do it. Most adults don't think too highly of it either, but if the kids are forced to do the weeding, interest will wane rapidly. The solution? Try companion planting. Plant masses of herbs in the gaps between the other crops. You'll not only get something to show for your efforts, you'll eliminate most of the weeds.

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# U.S. agencies tighten security

By Mike Viola  
and Bonita Tillman  
Staff writers

Security measures have been tightened at the federal courthouse in East St. Louis and at the St. Clair County courthouse in Belleville in the wake of the bombing of a federal building in Oklahoma City Wednesday.

U.S. Marshal Terry Delaney, who heads security at the federal courthouse in East St. Louis, said a sweep of the entire building was performed Wednesday to look for explosives.

Increased police patrol was added to the outside of the building and at the two entrances the security force was doubled. Each entrance has metal detectors immediately inside the door. At these, more thorough searches were performed.

"Everything went according to schedule. This is a very secure building," Delaney said.

No bomb threats were called into the East St. Louis facility, which sits on Missouri Avenue across the street from St. Mary's Hospital. Employees and jurors park in a section of the St. Mary's parking lot leased by the federal government. In that lot, cars can not park next to the building.

There is, however, metered parking for visitors at the courthouse along Missouri Avenue and this can get a car to within a few feet of the building.

"Everyone is a little tense," said U.S. District Judge Paul Riley, who watched the tragedy unfold on television during his noon lunch break on Wednesday.

Riley was presiding over a trial in federal court in East St. Louis when Delaney called him about the bombing.

"The marshal told me about the explosion in Oklahoma City and assured me that marshals are taking every precaution for our security," Riley said.

## Security

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Churchich said he hopes the people who caused the tragedy in Oklahoma City receive their due.

"Once they find them, justice better be swift," Churchich said.

"They don't need to let these people sit on death row for 15 or 20 years."

"They need to let them exhaust their appeals for a year and then take the necessary measures to eliminate them from society because they have no place in it," he said.

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Darius Monken, director of buildings for St. Clair County, said memos have been sent to county employees and the adjacent courthouse parking garage attendants to alert them of anything suspicious.

"In good times, people get lax. We wanted to make sure employees who have lost their parking cards or are loaning them out have the number right and everything is checked," he said.

People entering the courthouse go through metal detectors before reaching criminal and family courtrooms.

The Public Building Commission, which oversees all county buildings, has encouraged employees to "keep their eyes and ears open a little clearer," Monken added.

A parking garage under the St. Clair County Courthouse also is being more closely watched since the bombing, he said.

Delaney ordered extra deputy marshals and security forces on duty to protect more than 100 employees, judges and jurors in the courthouse in East St. Louis.

"Deputy marshals are patrolling inside and outside the courthouse," Delaney said. "They're keeping an eye on vehicles approaching the building."

Armed guards are posted at the doors, and people walk through metal detectors to get inside the courthouse.

Federal marshals took extra precautions to check all incoming mail. "We have two people on duty, X-raying incoming mail," Delaney said.

He also alerted the Explosive Ordnance Detachment Unit at Scott Air Force Base. "The bomb squad is on standby at Scott in case they have to do a bomb sweep of the buildings."

The Illinois State Police Tactical Response Team was put on standby, Delaney said. "They're ready to respond quickly if we need them."

"We're on alert and waiting for instructions from FBI headquarters," FBI Special Agent Dale Schuler, in charge of the FBI office in Alton, said Wednesday.

The FBI Alton office is in the two-story federal building at 501 Belle St., which also houses the Social Security Administration and an Internal Revenue Service office.

The American Red Cross in Alton was flooded with phone calls from people who wanted to donate blood for victims in Oklahoma City.

"The Oklahoma City Red Cross put out a call for people to go to local Red Cross agencies to donate blood," said Marcia Wickenhauser, executive director of the Red Cross office in Alton.

Some information for this story was supplied by the Alton Telegraph.

## Special service at 1st Presbyterian

The First Presbyterian Church of Granite City will host a special service at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 23, at the church, 21st Street and Delmar Avenue in Granite City.

The public is invited to join with the congregation as they celebrate their return to a newly renovated church, following the fire that occurred Sept. 14, 1994. Jack Jenkins will be presiding at the rebuilt organ.

Following a short service to dedicate the new facilities, there will be a tour of the church grounds. Refreshments will be served.

## Walden to be featured at recital Monday

Baritone singer Ralph Walden Jr. of Granite City will be featured in an undergraduate voice recital at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 24, at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville's Lovejoy Library auditorium. Refreshments will be served and admission is free.

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By Gary T. Robinson

### ACROSS

1 South Pacific islands

5 Word of wonder

8 700, to Caesar

11 Skirmish

15 Tea cakes

17 Early auto

18 Compartment

19 Unattended

20 Wee portion

21 Unit of energy

22 Lolon

23 Ingredient

24 Aquarium

25 Alien

26 Spilled, struck

27 Manganese

28 Before Beth or Donald

29 Poetic preparation

30 Loop, n.p., computer unit

31 Dos Passos

32 (Wing out) couple

33 Wife of Zeus

34 One, at the

35 Attend

36 Answer

37 Cracker

38 Cosmetics

39 Make tracks

40 Tapestry

41 Self collar

42 Regs., quines, lured

43 Cal. counterpart

44 Heavyweight champ of 1934

45 Eureka!

46 Cigar fallout

47 Mole holes, donkeys, towns

48 A very long time

49 "The Gold Bug" author

50 Ireland

51 Formerly named

52 Views, places, submissions

53 Marsh

54 Five books of Moses

55 Area contents

56 Religious leader

57 Appetite

### DOWN

1 In favor of, warning, golf

2 Republicans, this time

3 Scoll

4 Must

5 Public one

6 Much master

7 Myrtle discipline

8 Obliterate

9 Lumox

10 Ball of yarn

11 Seated

12 Mishmash

13 Initial

14 Interpret

15 Haze plus

16 Air Comb

17 Roadhouses

18 Per — each

19 Use a beeper

20 Twosomes

21 Pomes

22 Baseball's "Bambino"

23 Picky fruit

24 He and she

25 Units of loudness

26 Assume comment

27 Sweet potatoes

28 Global

29 Banica area

30 Sanctum

31 Indonesian boat

32 Jack of "Diagonal"

33 Aleutian Island

34 Costume

35 Grasslands

36 Fiery felony

37 Puppets

38 Legal thing

39 Pi follower

40 Eiffel Tower

41 Kind of fur

42 Arab sheels

43 Rhine leader

44 Public squares

45 Labrynth

46 Stage

47 Describing a first voyage

48 Sheet of blues

49 Staff of life

50 Outlandish

51 Lather

52 Cassowary's cousin

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## Briefly

## Dittich receives honor

Denise Dittich of Granite City recently received an outstanding performance award from the Defense Mapping Agency in St. Louis. This award is given to Aerospace Center employees for consistently exceeding the standard of performance for their position.

A major combat support agency of the U.S. government, the Defense Mapping Agency provides worldwide mapping, charting and geodesy support for the Department of Defense.

## Besserman joins Royce

Jerry Besserman has joined Century 21 Royce Realty Inc. in Granite City as a residential marketing specialist, broker and owner John Royce has announced.

Besserman is a graduate of the Pat Curtis Academy of Real Estate. He and his wife, Doreen, are lifelong residents of the Granite City Madison Collinsville area. They have two grown children. He has been a local businessman for 23 years.

Besserman will be happy to help you with all your real estate needs. Century 21 Royce Realty Inc. is part of the Century 21 system, the world's largest real estate organization. Each office is independently owned and operated.



Besserman

## Jamil attends seminar

Dr. M. Jamil attended a medical seminar entitled "Networking Integration: Winning Strategies for Quality" presented by the American Board of Quality Assurance and Utilization Review Physicians Inc. held in Orlando, Fla., March 22-24.

Topics included physician practice models, anti-trust issues in provider integration, accrediting health care provider networks and major ethical issues in forming and operating networks.

Jamil is a diplomat of the American Board of Quality Assurance and UR Physicians (ABQAURP) and serves as physician adviser for CIMRO (Central Illinois Medical Review Organization) and a member of the Quality Improvement Committee of St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

## Democrats honor attorney

East Alton attorney Glenn E. Bradford of Glen Carbon was honored at the Democratic State Party spring meeting by Gary LaPaille, party chairman, March 21 in Springfield. Bradford was given a statewide certificate of appreciation for outstanding service and commitment to the party.

Bradford is the managing senior partner in the law office of Pratt, Bradford and Tobin P.C. Bradford is immediate past president of the Madison County Bar Association and Tri-City Bar Association. He is a member of the American Bar Association, Illinois State Bar Association, Association of Trial Lawyers of America and Illinois Trial Lawyers Association.

Bradford is active on a local, state and national level in the Democrat Party and is a well-known fundraiser and financial backer of Democratic candidates who support the rights of working men and women.



Bradford

## Retirement plan can be good loan source

As interest rates have risen from their historic lows of the early '90s, attention is beginning to return to the qualified plan as a source of loan capital. A good example is borrowing vested money from ones 401(k) plan at work.

In that, under a typical plan scenario, the interest on a loan taken by a participant is paid back into their account, it is easy to understand why this is an attractive source of funds in time of need. However, one should not view their qualified plan as a slush fund suddenly available to purchase a swimming pool or new car. These monies should be utilized for their intended purpose, which is spending money after retirement.

However, as in any other matter, there is no such thing as a free lunch. Even though the participant is borrowing their own money, the loan must still



Brian Mulhall

be repaid. If you leave your company with an outstanding loan in your qualified plan, the loan balance will be subject to federal and state tax, and an additional 10 percent federal penalty if you are under the age of 59½. So, it is best to repay the loan, then request the monies be transferred to a new Individual Retirement Account or the plan at your new company if they will allow it. There are also some other rules and regulations from the Internal Revenue Service and the Department of Labor

pertaining to qualified plans. These are:

- Loans must be available to all eligible participants on a non-discriminatory basis.
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- The maximum loan is half of the participant's vested balance, to a maximum loan amount of \$50,000. If the vested balance is less than \$20,000, the loan may be up to \$10,000.
- The final and very important rule is that owners of unincorporated businesses

(including partnerships) and S corporation shareholders may not take loans from their qualified plans.

Since corporate tax rates are now lower than personal rates in most cases, the attractiveness of incorporating a business has increased. Protection from personal liability is always an issue. The fact that by incorporating as a C corporation, a business owner can gain access to qualified plan loans may well be a good reason to take this step. Certainly, the attractiveness of the availability of plan loans should not be overlooked.

Consult your tax and financial adviser for specific options available for you today.

Brian Mulhall is a partner with America Group Financial Services. He can be reached in Granite City at 931-7922 or in Edwardsville at 692-9393.

## Jones &amp; Co. wins top brokerage ranking in survey

Edward D. Jones & Co. was recently ranked number one in a study of the nation's 21 leading full-service brokerage houses.

The ranking was conducted by an independent financial consulting and testing service on behalf of Money magazine. Results of the survey appeared in the April 1995 issue of that publication.

The survey, the largest of its kind ever conducted, was performed by interviews posing as invoice investors wishing to invest \$40,000 safely.

"We're extremely pleased with the results of the survey," Jeffrey M. Prosser, the local Jones representative, said. "Edward D.

Jones & Co. has always believed that investors should be treated as we would like to be treated if the roles were reversed. The results reaffirm our commitment to that goal."

The study ranked the 21 financial-services firms in five categories. Edward D. Jones & Co. excelled at explaining products and mutual fund sales charges correctly and completely, asking about investors' time horizons and not pushing in-house investments. Jones, in fact, does not sell in-house products of any kind.

"The article points out the importance of doing your homework before choosing which

investment representative and which firm to handle your investment dollars," Prosser added. "After all, your financial future depends on the choices you make."

Edward D. Jones & Co. traces its roots to 1871, and is the fastest-growing investment firm in the nation. The firm's focus on the values of entrepreneurship, community involvement and personal service has helped it become the largest financial-services firm in the nation with more than 3,300 offices nationwide.

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## In the classroom



**African presentation** — Dr. Alice Purdes, chair of the Language Arts Department at Venice Lincoln Technical School, holds a spear from Swaziland that is part of her collection of African memorabilia. Purdes gave a presentation in February as part of a program during Black History Month.

## Scholarship applications open

Mitchell School Parent-Teacher Association is accepting applications through April 28 from Granite City High School graduating seniors who wish to receive the \$200 Laurabeth Wittkamp Award. Qualifying students must have attended Mitchell School one or more years. Academic achievement and financial need will be considered in selecting the recipient.

Seniors interested in applying may pick up an application form in the guidance office at Granite City High School or in the office at Mitchell School. Applications will be reviewed and the recipient will be notified. The award will be presented at the high school senior awards night.



**Young farmers** — Students were given the opportunity to see farm animals and learn a little about farm life when the Young Farmers from the Madison County Farm Bureau recently visited Prather School. Shown are Chris Speer's kindergarten students viewing the animals.

## Friendly Agers meeting Tuesday

Bob Lewis, president of the Friendly Agers, invites all seniors, age 55 and older, to attend its monthly meeting at 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 25, at Second Baptist Church, 2100 Illinois Ave. in Granite City. A covered-lunch meal will be served. For more information, call 726-4954.



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**Southern Illinois U.**  
Five faculty members and 107 students from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville were inducted into Phi Kappa Phi honor society.

The national society honors students from all departments of the university who meet the requirements of superior scholarship and good character. The SIUE class of scholars included 25 juniors, 42 seniors and 42 graduate students.

The society also honors a limited number of faculty who have excelled in their fields of endeavor. Inducted this year were Arthur J. Braundmeier, chairman of the department of physics; Charles A. Corr, professor of philosophical studies; Francis O. Odehro, assistant professor of geography; F. Mari Smith, associate professor of biological sciences; and David I. Steinberg, acting dean of the School of Sciences. The SIUE chapter was founded in 1978 and is one of 11 chapters in Illinois. Nationally, the society has chapters at 272 colleges and universities, with a membership of 750,000 scholars.

SIUE President Nancy Belk was the keynote speaker at the initiation ceremony, which included the presentation of a life membership award to Professor Lynn Kluth, chairman of the department of theater and dance in the School of Fine Arts and Communications, who is retiring in August after 30 years with the university.

Belk urged the scholars to "lend a helping hand to others." She said there are many individuals who fall short of their potential because of some correctable inadequacy, such as low self-esteem.

"These are the ones who can benefit from your helping hand—a bit of attention, some encouragement, a pat on the back can move them to become increasingly effective, productive citizens."

"Such service to humankind is worth your doing. There are many out there who would greatly value and benefit from your help. It is worth doing for everyone's benefit."

Local members of the honor society include:  
Granite City — Erik Lewis and James Smallwood.

**Illinois State**  
The following local students have completed requirements for the bachelor's degree at the end of the fall 1994 semester at Illinois State University at Normal:

Granite City — Stephanie Cook, Jennifer Hicks, Eric Lane.

**Sanford Brown**  
Kimberly Parks, daughter of John and Pat Sannes of Granite City, is on the dean's list and honor roll at Sanford Brown College in Hazelwood. She is attending the occupational therapy assistant program and will graduate in July 1995. She is currently employed by St. Elizabeth Medical Center as a certified nurse aide.

**Westminster College**

Anna M. Pieper, a senior at Granite City High School, has been awarded a President's Scholarship to attend Westminster College. Pieper is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan J. Pieper of Granite City.

Valued at \$5,500 a year for four years, the President's Scholarship is one of four major academic awards made to incoming freshmen at this 143-year-old private, liberal arts college for men and women.

To be eligible for the scholarship, a student must demonstrate high academic ability by scoring in the top 20 percent nationwide on the standardized college entrance exams. The scholarship is renewable provided the student continues to demonstrate academic excellence.

Westminster has an enrollment of 700 full-time residential students representing more than 30 years. The college enjoys a distinguished reputation in all of its degree programs and frequently has been selected as one of America's Best College Buys by Money Guide.

Recognized nationwide for its quality academic programs and campus life, Westminster often hosts world political and business leaders. Past speakers include Sir Winston Churchill, who delivered his famous "Iron Curtain" speech at the college; Mikhail Gorbachev; Malcolm Forbes; Henry Bloch and president Ronald Reagan; Gerald Ford, Harry S. Truman and George Bush.

**McKendree College**

Tina Scatturo accompanied another McKendree College student and Dr. Todd Reynolds to San Diego for a presentation at a conference sponsored by the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA).

The three co-presented a workshop session on the topic of campus community. Special focus was directed at the value to members of a community in having identity with the college, in participating in the life of the institution in meaningful ways and in establishing membership with a peer group while appreciating the diversity that exists within the larger campus population.

NASPA membership consists of student affairs specialists, deans, vice presidents and presidents from colleges and universities throughout the United States. In addition, there are both student affiliate and international membership categories.

The conference was held from March 22 through March 25 and nearly 3,000 delegates enjoyed the weather and activities in southern California.

Scatturo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scatturo of Granite City.

**Illinois College**

Brent Tracy, a junior at Granite City High School, was one of 11 high school juniors who attended an open house March 6 on the campus of Illinois College in Jacksonville.

Tracy resides in Granite City.

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## In the military

### Christopher Trudeau

Christopher R. Trudeau, son of Hella Grider of Granite City, has enlisted in the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program.

Trudeau, a 1995 graduate of Granite City High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on Aug. 10.

Upon graduation from Air Force's six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, near San Antonio, Texas, Trudeau is scheduled to receive technical training in the general aptitude career field.

Trudeau will be earning credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

### David Clark

Navy Chief Petty Officer David A. Clark, son of Gloria Clark of Granite City, has returned from a six-month deployment to the Red Sea and Persian Gulf aboard the guided missile frigate USS John L. Hall.

Clark is one of 300 sailors aboard the ship who departed Pascagoula, Miss., for the six-month journey, which included crossing the Atlantic Ocean and Mediterranean Sea. Clark then traveled through the Suez Canal into the Red Sea and Persian Gulf.

While in the Red Sea and Persian Gulf, Clark worked helping enforce the international embargo against Iraq by intercepting ships suspected of transporting prohibited material to and from Iraq. The ship's crew boarded and searched several ships in the Northern Red Sea suspected of violating the embargo and checked their paperwork.

Traveling more than 30,000 miles, Clark spent the majority of time at sea but also visited Spain, France, Israel, Eritrea, Massawa and Djibouti. While in Eritrea, more than 40 sailors gave up their free time to help repaint a local children's school and to restore electrical power to a nearby hospital.

The 1977 graduate of Granite City High School joined the Navy in January 1982.

### Ernest Baker Jr.

Marine Corporal Ernest Lee Baker Jr. of Granite City recently completed a six-month Mediterranean tour on the USS Harlan County LST 1196. The deployment lasted from May 21 to Nov. 15, 1994.

While overseas, he was promoted to the rank of corporal and received three ribbons for Good Conduct, Marine Expeditionary Unit and Sea Service Deployment.

The countries toured included England, France, Tunisia, Spain, Italy, Morocco, Greece, Somalia, Israel, Sicily, Libya and Turkey.

Stand-by and alert readiness was the main purpose of this float.

He also participated in the 50-year anniversary of the invasion of Normandy, France.

Baker's four-year enlistment in the Marine Corps will end this November.



**Poster winner** — John Lance, a fifth-grade student in Kathy Lorden's class at Wilson Elementary School in Granite City, won the fifth grade honorable mention in the Radon Poster Contest 1994, sponsored by the Illinois Department of Nuclear Safety (IDNS) and the American Lung Association (ALA). His poster will appear in the IDNS 1995-96 "Radon: Naturally Excited" 16-month calendar and will be displayed at the IDNS tent at the 1995 Illinois State Fair. He will receive a radon T-shirt for his achievement.

## Milestones

Scott Valicoff celebrates his fifth birthday today, April 23.  
Melissa K. Milton will celebrate her 10th birthday April 24.  
Rick Hildreth will celebrate his birthday April 25.  
Marlee Gunderson will celebrate her first birthday April 25.  
Kathy Schmidtke will celebrate her birthday April 26.  
Donna (Lindner) May will celebrate her 40th birthday April 26.  
Ed Hoover will celebrate his 28th birthday April 27.  
Lonnie Turner will celebrate his birthday April 27.  
Steven Wright will celebrate his sixth birthday April 29.  
Thomas Schiller will celebrate his 80th birthday April 29.  
Steve Laub will celebrate his 36th birthday April 29.  
Angela Kaye McMasters will celebrate her birthday April 29.  
For a mention in the milestones listings, send a postcard with the person's name, date of celebration and telephone number to: MILESTONES, Granite City Press-Record/Journal, 1815 Delmar Ave., Granite City, Ill., 62040.

## Services dedicated to seniors

Lucille Martin covers the Pontoon Beach scene for the Press-Record Journal. She can be contacted at 951-0731.

On March 28, Pastor Alan Sikes of Mount Zion General Baptist Church dedicated the morning church services to the senior members. A red rose bud was presented to each senior by Carolyn Taylor.

Lillie Graf, church reporter, was presented a plaque in appreciation of the many years of writing for the General Baptist Messenger magazine. Copies of her work were displayed. A poem describing Graf's life was written by Helen Nance and given to her.

Members of the Twilight Class present were Edith Hill, Mildred Rippy, Estelle Smith, Madge and Al Lang, Bessie Phillips, Wayman and Margorie Austin, Jenny Pirtle and Darlene Thomas, the class teacher. One member, Ann Schuber, was unable to attend.

Georgia Lee Tompkins of Pontoon Beach has entered another national poetry contest and received a letter stating that she is in the semifinals. The song she wrote is going to be printed in a book called *East of*



Lucille Martin

the Sunrise. Her other song, "Vietnam," has already been published in the book.

The people of Pontoon Beach Khoury are forming a little league, baseball and T-ball for the children in the area. The league is a not-for-profit organization and part of the George Khoury League of St. Louis.

The Pontoon Beach Khoury League will hold a raffle to raise money for its fields. They will be raffling off authentic baseball collectibles — two baseballs, one signed by Mike McBride and one signed by Ozzie Smith, and one ball cap signed by McBride. The raffle tickets are \$1 each and the winners will be drawn on May 30. Anyone interested in buying a ticket can contact Dee at 797-2238 or Dawn at 797-2499. People of Pontoon Beach

Khoury are also looking for any donations of new or used equipment and uniforms. Anyone wishing to donate should contact Dee at the above number. The leaders would like to thank the people who have donated their time and equipment that have gotten them where they are today.

The World Mission Conference, sponsored by the Madison County Baptist Association and River Bluff Baptist Association, will be held from May 7 through 14.

Special event dates are Mission Rally Day at 7 p.m. May 8 at First Baptist Church in Maryville. Charles Chaney will be the speaker. There will be prayer breakfasts on May 8 and 11. The mission fair will be held from noon to 3 p.m. May 13 at the Baptist Center.

Missionaries for these conferences are Cynthia Freese, South Brazil; Ray Benfield, Denmark; Bert Corbett, Benin; Nancy Addison, Hong Kong; Terry Moncrief, Atlanta, Ga.; Wagh Gargis, Michigan; Steve Aubuchon, St. Louis; Charles Pitts, Minnesota; J.R. Crowe, Breese; and Eric Arnal, Breese.

## Bleckley receives college scholarship

Nicole Bleckley, a senior at Granite City High School and daughter of Nancy Kaiser of Granite City and Paul Bleckley, has been awarded a divisional scholarship to attend Doane College.

This academic award was granted following a personal interview held on campus in February. Faculty members from the disciplines of education, social science, natural science, mathematics, computer science, humanities, communications and business participated in the event.

Bleckley received the Education Divisional Scholarship and Teacher Achievement Award. Founded in 1872, Doane is a four-year comprehensive college which emphasizes liberal arts education. More than 1,300 students are enrolled at Doane's Crete and Lincoln campuses in Nebraska. The editors of *Money Magazine* recently cited Doane as one of the best college buys in the Midwest.

## Applications open for Head Start

Head Start is now accepting applications for the 1995-96 school year. Head Start is a free, child development pre-school program for children from low-income families who will be at least 3 years old, but not yet eligible for kindergarten, by Sept. 1, 1995.

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Please contact the Head Start center nearest you to schedule an appointment. To apply, you must bring proof of income, proof of child's age, and a parent's and child's Social Security numbers.

Head Start offices are:  
Granite City Head Start, 2100 Edison St., Granite City, Ill. 62040; 877-2102.  
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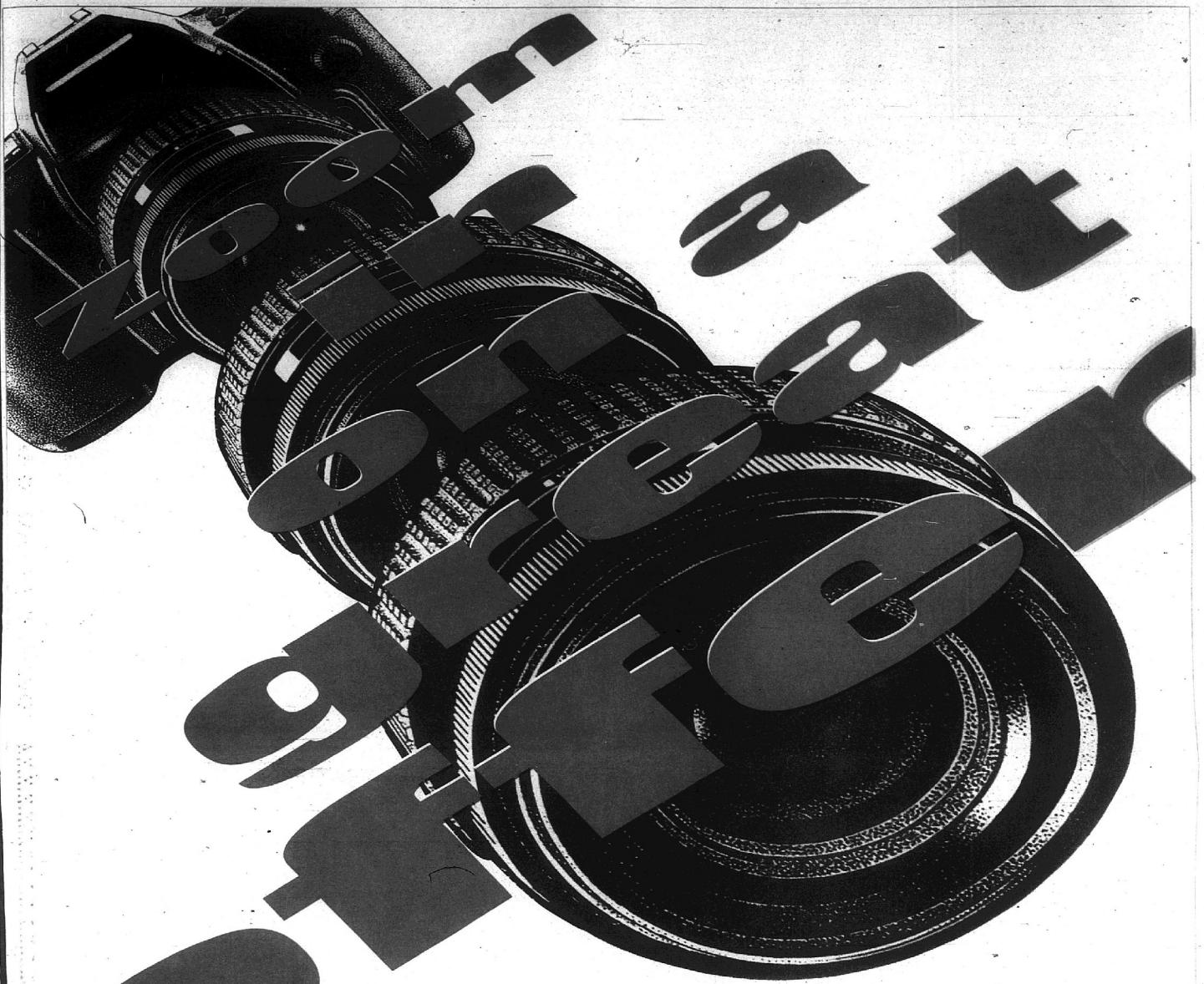
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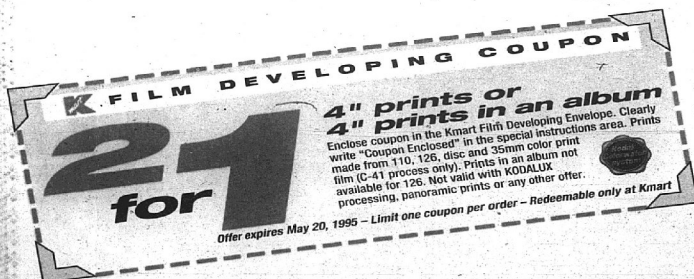
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## Saints Alive members enjoy trip to Springfield

Maxine Green covers the Granite City and Nanticoke Township area for the Press-Record Journal. She can be contacted at 831-4444.

The Better Breathers' Club met recently in the Wiseman Room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Dr. Andrew Gold, allergist, spoke on asthma and other allergies and ways of treating and curing them.

Carol Smith, coordinator, introduced the speaker and later turned the meeting over to Susie Horton, president, who proceeded with the new business of electing officers. They officers are: Kenny Lane, vice president; Ruth Smith, treasurer; Maxine Green, secretary; and Susie Horton, president. All were voted on and elected.

Lunch was served to Marshall and Freddy McHenry, Fred and Helen Boyer, Ellen Kneekstedt, Mary Margaret King, Pearl Kamadulski, Edna Mayhew, Mary Maylath, Jack and Ruth Smith, James Noe, Susie Horton, Kenneth and Dottie Lane, Kenneth and Rosella Fuller, Mary Mize, Robby and Ronny Harper, Bill Uls, Dave Shepard, Maxine Green and Carol Smith.

Avon representatives held the campaign 10 sales meeting on April 11 at the Avon office on Edison Avenue. New President Club members are Audrey Friihen, Patty Nielsen, Patty Miles, Eva Spangler and Jo Richardson. New honor society members are Bonnie Hunter, Lois Hoy and Eula McKee. Sandra Hamilton joined the ranks of new rose circle with \$30,000 in sales.

Winners of the C B POP sweepstakes are Shirley Barton, Michelle Eads and Melvin Byrd. The door prize was won by Lois Hoy. Fifty-five drawings were won by Kathy Waeltermann, Ruth Ray, Corky Nance, Sophi Bero, Norrina DeVault and Carolyn Allen. The car pool drawing was won by Rose Doolin and Rosa Lux.

Others attending were Carol Gilling, Winnie Pointer, Donna Johnson, Chloe Denny, Jewel Ninos, Brenda Hacker, Ellen Davis, Lillian Ruege, Monica Santoyo, Julia Lotzy, Helen Miller, Sue Schreicht, Rhonda Pointer, Mickey Strack, Kara Wampler, Connie Chronister, Lisa Buhlinger, Patty Miles, Gerri Clark, Clarine Coggins, Nadine Papp, Eleanor White, Melinda Dunham, Gladys Templeman, Janice Watson, Michelle Singleton, Tommie Myers, Rosemary Halston, Argill Arriager, Judi Ripley, Iola Voyles, Eula McKee, Mary K. Grand, Gertie Ashford, Mark Myers, Jennifer Hannan, Eva Spangler, Julie Sights, Elaine Station and Ruth Patton. The president's luncheon will be held May 19 at the Collinsville Holiday Inn.

The seventh annual golf classic for Magna 55 members (only) is planned for 8 a.m. Thursday, June 8. It will be a shotgun start. Entry deadline is May 15 to contact Club Magna 55 in Belleville.

On Thursday, April 13, the Saints Alive group of the Madison County Baptist Association enjoyed a field trip to Springfield. The group visited the Lincoln Home in town and the homes in a four-block area.

### Annual meeting of HEA Monday

The April 11 meeting of the Granite City Unit Homemakers Extension Association was opened by Sophia Thomas giving the invocation. After this, a casserole luncheon was hosted by Ann Allison and Ann Gulander, who was a guest. Due to the illness of Elizabeth Edwards, Gulander substituted for her. She is Edwards' sister and belongs to the Jerseyville Unit HEA.

After the luncheon, Gulander and Allison gave the lesson on "Casserole Cooking and Garnishments," which went along with the luncheon. Mary Evalyne Yenko, district president, talked about the district meeting, which will be held May 10.

This meeting will be hosted by the Trio Unit. The meeting will be held at Hope Lutheran Church. Following the meeting, a trip to the Missouri Botanical Gardens will be taken.

Barbara Rogers, first vice president, thanked the hostesses for the luncheon and the lesson. She announced that the June hostesses will be Betty Goldsach, Helen Harshany and Phyllis Brusatti. The lesson, "Checking Out Fat Substitutes," will be given by Brusatti and Mary Radick.

LaNell Lesseg, second vice president, talked about the victory tea to be given on May 8 in Edwardsville. This is for all new members and their sponsors.

Mary Thebeau, president, talked about the annual meeting to be held at Eden United Church of Christ in Edwardsville on April 24.



Maxine Green

that have been restored or being restored. They also looked at some of the memorials of the Vietnam War, near Mr. Lincoln's home and visited Lincoln's Tomb and went through it.

On the way to New Salem, the

group ate at the River Ridge Restaurant. They visited the new visitors center in New Salem, saw film on part of Lincoln's life and visited all the old homes.

On the way home, the group stopped at McDonald's to rest and eat. Brian Smith drove the van from the Second Baptist Church.

The group was made up of Hassie Jones, Louise Acocks, Eva Barrow, Nora Birtley, Gertrude Sullivan, Lois Patterson, Glen and Phyllis Knight, Virgil and Alice Stogdill, Vera Kirkpatrick and Dr. Edwinn Wilkinson, coordinator.

There will be an associational vacation Bible school clinic beginning at 7 p.m. May 1 in the Suburban Baptist Church, 2500 St. Clair Ave. in Granite City.

Vickie Harper is recuperating at home after spending two weeks in the hospital. She wishes to thank all her friends and family, the Salvation Army, Little League Club, Second Baptist Church members and the Family Worship Prayer Group, who visited her and sent her cards and flowers.

## Science, health lecture April 30

This year marks the 100th anniversary of the publishing of the Christian Science textbook — *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* by Mary Baker Eddy. To commemorate this event, special lectures to acquaint the public with the healing power of prayer are being given throughout the world. It is a book for everyone, not just for Christian Scientists.

The members of the Granite City Church warmly invite everyone to attend the Christian Science lecture titled "Science and Health: A Fresh View of Justice" by Ruth Elizabeth Jenks, CSB, of Chicago. Jenks is a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship in Boston. The lecture will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 30, in the church edifice, 2560 Delmar Ave., in Granite City.

More than eight million copies of this book, which has a proven century-long history of helping millions of readers improve their health and quality of life, have been sold. A special edition is being offered in retail stores and Christian Science reading rooms to meet the increased interest in spirituality. The local reading room is located in the lower level of the church.

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**BASEBALL**

DeSmet pitcher shuts down GCHS.

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**BASEBALL**

Warriors close Round-Robin tourney.

Wednesday



Art Voellinger

**Free-throw rule to quicken games**

Seems like everything should be fast these days — or at least faster.

High school basketball games are expected to move at a better pace now because of limited conferences and batters required to keep a foot in the batter's box. Now basketball games just might end sooner due to a National High School Federation rule that conforms with one on the collegiate level.

**REMEMBER THOSE** thrilling final seconds of games when foul look non-intentional so that the opposing team had to prove they could convert on one-and-one free-throw opportunities?

Beginning next season, the prep-will do as the collegians in that starting with the 10th foul in a half, players will receive two free throws.

Thus, when a team has a comfortable lead that even a few 3-point field goals might not threaten, you and I should be able to reach for our coats and consider an exit.

That does not mean, though, that everyone is in agreement with the change.

I asked Oakville High coach Dave Luchefeld last season if he thought the collegiate two-shot rule would be good for the high school game, and he indicated otherwise.

"I kind of like the way it is," said Luchefeld, who was recognized recently as a coach at the McDonald's All-America Classic. "It does make you make the free throw."

Sure, coach. This spectator is tired of watching fouling in the late going that too often is followed by flung 3-pointers, especially when a game is out of reach. I've witnessed free comebacks related to the foul and 3-point shot.

Of course, if free-throw shooting does not improve, getting an automatic opportunity for two free throws may make little difference. Wait until next year does apply in this case.

**OVERTIME:** Of rules changes in other sports, the National Federation has given the OK for intentional grounding by quarterbacks in prep football games — a matter again reached after the rule was adopted on the pro and collegiate levels.

This rule takes pressure off officials who had to decide if a quarterback was spiking the ball to stop the clock.

Of other grid changes, one rule most pleasing that will not take effect until 1999 puts an end to cutoff jerseys.

The new rule permits jerseys that reach the top of the pants to be left hanging out while any top that hangs lower than the waistline must be tucked in.

**FOOTNOTE:** While Josh Toal of Waterloo Gibault directed the Journal's Class A boys basketball Player of the Year honor, Hawks fans never will forget another player's name when the '94-'95 season is recalled.

That's Jon Houglund, whose 3-pointers with seven seconds to play and then a layup at the buzzer sent Gibault past Marissa 57-56 for a regional title.

Prior to his baskets, benchwarmer Houglund had scored 16 points all season.

**Talley, GCHS rally past Rams**

Five-run fifth keys 5-4 tourney win over Mt. Vernon

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

After losing five of its past six games, the Granite City baseball team ended a week full of frustration Friday night with a come-from-behind 5-4 victory over Mount Vernon at Varsity Field.

The Warriors, coming off two straight losses — including their first in the Southwestern Conference — finally changed their fortunes Friday. The Warriors erased a 4-0 deficit with five runs in the fifth inning and held on to defeat the Rams in the opening round of the Granite City Round-Robin Tournament.

Starting pitcher Jason Talley, who worked into the top of the fifth but did not get the decision, keyed Granite City's rally with a two-out, two-run double in the bottom of the inning. With the bases loaded and the Rams ahead 4-2, Talley doubled over left fielder Aaron Tension's head to tie the game and give the Warriors new life.

**THE RAMS LOOKED** to get out of the inning without further damage when Jason Wood followed with a grounder to shortstop Scott Williams. But Williams' throw was mishandled by first baseman Chris Bernard, allowing Brian Lloyd to score and make it 5-4.

Senior reliever Matt Triphan

Granite City 5, Mount Vernon 4									
AB	R	H	E	AB	R	H	E	AB	R
Monroe 3b	3	1	0	Lloyd 3b	3	1	0	1	0
Williams ss	3	1	0	Talley p	3	0	0	2	0
Houglund c	2	0	1	Monroe 3b	3	0	0	2	0
Tension 1b	4	0	1	Simon 1b	3	0	0	0	0
Norris 2b	3	0	1	Kuehn 1b	3	0	0	1	0
Tale 2f	3	1	0	Norris 2b	3	0	0	0	0
Hall rf	3	0	1	Brigit 2b	3	0	0	0	0
Englund dh	2	0	1	Thorn 2b	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	3	Totals	24	5	4		

Mount Vernon 100 120 0 — 4									
Granite City 600 650 X — 5									
2B — GCH: Talley; MV: Tension; 3B — None; HR — None; SB — MV: Tale									

Mount Vernon									
IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	IP	H	R	ER
Monroe 3b	5	0	0	5	80	Monroe 3b	5	0	0
Williams ss	1	1	1	0	0	Williams ss	1	1	1
Houglund c	1	1	1	0	0	Houglund c	1	1	1
Tension 1b	1	1	1	0	0	Tension 1b	1	1	1
Norris 2b	1	1	1	0	0	Norris 2b	1	1	1

took the mound to begin the sixth and pitched the final two innings for a save, and the Warriors broke a two-game losing streak to improve to 10-6. The Rams dropped to 9-3-1.

Granite City assistant coach Daren DePew, filling in for head coach Gus Lignott for the second straight night, said he was impressed with the Warriors' comeback after Thursday's 7-6 SWC loss at Collinsville.

"We showed some enthusiasm," DePew said. "We were in a tough ballgame last night and tonight we came out on top. This (See WARRIORS, Page 2B)



Brian Etherton makes the turn during a recent game.

**Kahoks outlast GCHS 7-6 in SWC showdown**

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

The Collinsville Kahoks overcame Granite City with a four-run fifth inning and took over the Southwestern Conference lead in Thursday's 7-6 victory over the Warriors at Fletcher Field.

The Kahoks, who fell behind 4-1 after a four-run second inning by the Warriors, rallied for two runs in the third and completed their comeback in the fifth on the strength of a two-run, two-out double by Mike DeLisle. Collinsville starter T.J.



Kuehn and Nemeth

Thomas survived back-to-back home runs by Shain Kuehn and Scott Nemeth in the second and improved to 2-0 on the year. In a battle between the two

final unbeaten teams in the SWC, the Kahoks came out on top and improved to 4-0 and 12-2 overall. Granite City dropped to 3-1, 9-6.

**IT WAS THE** ninth straight win for the Kahoks, who stayed perfect in the SWC with a key win over Granite City — the defending conference champion. "It's a nice win," Collinsville coach Steve McFall said. "It was nice because we had to come from behind to get it. "Granite City is a very good team and we knew that. I was (See SWC, Page 2B).

**West netters sweep GCHS**

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

Once again, the Belleville bug bit the Granite City tennis team. But neither the Warriors or coach Allen Lobdell would have it any other way.

Granite City lost 9-0 to Belleville West on Wednesday, but several of the matches were very close.

**"THE SCORE JUST** doesn't indicate how close that match was," Lobdell said. "We had three matches go to three sets, and three other sets were decided by tiebreakers. It was a lopsided score, but the matches were tough."

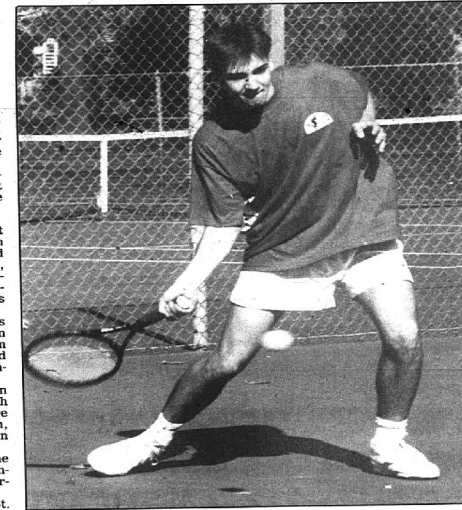
Early on, the Warriors appeared to be ready for an upset. GCHS won the first set in two of the singles matches, and split the first two sets in another.

I was thinking we might even be on track for taking the match 5-4," Lobdell said. "But they are a very tough and very deep team, and they came back and won them all."

Granite City fell to 3-3 on the season after winning two matches by a combined 17-1 score earlier in the week.

The Warriors pounded East St. Louis 9-0 on Tuesday, after defeating Cahokia 8-1.

(See GCHS, Page 2B)



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Granite City's Joe Markel returns a shot.

**SIUE to showcase county track meet**

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

The Madison County Track Meet has found a new home this year. But the event's high level of competition figures to remain the same when the area's top teams meet Tuesday at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville.

The county meet, which has been held at Collinsville High School over the past three years, has been moved to SIUE's recently constructed \$5 million, all-weather track. Meet officials hope to showcase the area's top athletes at SIUE, which hosted the track portion of last summer's U.S. Olympic Festival and has been home to several high school sports events over the past year.

"We're happy to be there," said meet sponsor Harry Briggs, the Madison County regional superintendent of schools. "We hope it's as good as it has been in the past. Our attempt this year in using the SIUE facility was to bring all of the schools into what we consider the premier track in the area."

**THE MEET HAS** featured competition among the area's top boys and girls track teams over the past 20 years. This

year's meet host is Highland, and the field includes Alton, Collinsville, Edwardsville, Granite City, Bethalto Civic Memorial, East Alton-Wood River, Roxana, Madison, Venice, Metro East Lutheran and Tri-Valley.

While the site has moved to SIUE, the format has also changed. Boys and girls teams will be paired in just one division after competing separately as large and small schools over the past few years. Large schools previously competed in the Red Division, and small schools made up the Green Division.

For several years, the county meet was held at two different sites. Over the past three years, the meet has been held at Collinsville, where events tended to run for hours because of the four different divisions of competition.

"We did that for various reasons," Briggs said of the change in format. "Our hope next year is to go back to a large school and small school meet. We've been limited in past years because there weren't that many all-weather tracks."

**THAT HAS CHANGED** over the past year with the construction of the SIUE track.

(See TRACK, Page 3B)

**Incarnate, Shootout next test for GCHS**

By Steve Salem  
Staff writer

The third annual St. Dominic Howell North Shootout, featuring some of the best girls soccer teams in the St. Louis area, kicks off Monday with games at both St. Charles County schools.

St. Dominic coach Les Hager and Howell North coach Dan Hogan are the Shootout coordinators and said there has been much anticipation heading into the tournament.

"The teams love to play in the tournament because they know they will get three good games," Hager said.

**"THE PLAYERS** and coaches are very excited," Hogan said. "There's lots of anticipation. The coaches want to see these matchups. They get to see lots of the top teams and players. There's a lot of speculation in local polls and this tournament settles the speculation out on the playing

field."

Hazelwood Central and Howell North are both ranked nationally in the latest USA Today Umbro poll. Hazelwood Central is ranked fifth, while Howell North occupies the No. 12 position.

Hager said the tough competition in the Shootout will give a reliable indication of how a team will perform in state tournament play.

"If you make it to the semifinals here, you feel like there's a decent chance to get to state and make some noise," Hager said.

**THE 12-TEAM** tournament is set up in three brackets of four teams each. Bracket A consists of St. Dominic, Hazelwood Central, Parkway West and Rockwood Summit. Bracket B has Howell North, Nerinx Hall, Parkway Central and Notre Dame. Bracket C has Duchesne, (See SHOOTOUT, Page 2B)



(Staff photo by T.W. MILLER)

Carrie Simpson (right) and the Lady Warriors will face Incarnate Word for the second time this season Monday night at Howell North High School.

**Lady Warrior soccer**

	G	A	P
Kara Gatten	7	7	21
Nichelle Moninger	7	0	12
Carrie Simpson	5	1	11
Cheryl Costello	1	1	9
Kelly Williams	3	2	8
Imanah Mohsen	4	0	8
Jewell Splaingard	0	0	6
Tari Tomlinson	1	5	7
Holly Farnsworth	0	0	6
Rose Simpson	2	2	6
Amber Henson	2	0	4
Sue Dowsley	2	0	4
Tonya Gansover	0	0	2
Jamie Dallinger	1	0	2
Connie Meyers	1	0	2
Kelly Thomas	0	0	1
Ben Elkins	0	0	0
Aminda Nizinski	0	0	0
Penny Kriher	0	0	0

Goals: Marcie Holsinger, 6 shutouts, 9 goals allowed; Shannon Roth, 3 shutouts, 0 goals allowed



## DeSmet ace stymies Warriors 4-2

By Andy Fales  
Correspondent

Winning is never easy when the opposition always seems to be better than you. That was the case for Granite City baseball coach Gus Lignoul, whose team dropped a tough one to the visiting DeSmet Spartans, 4-2, on Wednesday.

The story line could be rather simple: the Warriors grabbed an early 1-0 lead, and then ran into Captain Hook.

(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Granite City second baseman Greg Sturdivant gloves a throw at first base during the game against Cahokia.

## •SWC

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very pleased with our kids because they didn't quit."

After taking a 1-0 lead in the first inning, Collinsville erased deficits of 4-1 and 5-3 and recaptured the lead for good in the bottom of the fifth. The Kahoks went ahead 7-5 on DeLisle's double, and after Granite City cut the lead to one with a run in the top of the sixth, reliever Steve Connor held off the Warriors in the seventh to record a save.

The loss was a tough one for the Warriors who out-hit the Kahoks 12-8 but stranded nine baserunners.

"We knew it was going to be a tough ballgame," said Granite City assistant coach Daren DePew after filling for the Gus Lignoul, who was ill. "It was a pretty typical conference game."

"We couldn't put it away. Hopefully we can start winning some of these games."

The Warriors spotted the Kahoks a 1-0 lead in the first inning when Brian Muniz hit a leadoff double against GCHS starter Shain Kuehnell, took third on a sacrifice bunt by Andy McFall and scored when Jason Bilyeu struck out but reached as the ball got past Nemeth behind the plate.

The Warriors answered with four runs in the second. With Keith Simon on first, Kuehnell helped his own cause and belted a two-run homer over the center field fence to give the Warriors a 2-1 lead. Nemeth, the next batter, took Thomas deep again with an opposite-field solo shot over the right field fence.

The Warriors added another run on an RBI single by Jon Reader. The two homers appeared to give the Warriors an early edge with Kuehnell (5-0), their top pitcher, on the mound. But Thomas settled down and helped the Warriors scoreless until the fifth.

## Collinsville 7, Granite City 5

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just past the reach of shortstop Kyle Briggs.

With the score 5-5, Niepert hit the next batter, Mike Radosevich, and DeLisle followed with a deep drive off the center field fence. DeLisle's hit proved to be the game winner.

"DeLisle battled and battled," McFall said. "That was a huge swing."

"It's about time I hit the ball," said DeLisle, who went hitless in two previous at-bats.

"I was just looking to make contact. I didn't know I hit it that hard. I didn't know I hit the fence until I got to second."

DeLisle was the last batter faced by Niepert, who took the loss. Matt Tieman relieved and retired Greg Boyer on a ground-out.

The Warriors fought back in the sixth, when Greg Sturdivant led off a single and took second on a throwing error by Thomas.

But Lloyd singled, giving the Warriors runners at first and third with no outs.

Boyer at second on a stole base attempt. Reader singled home Sturdivant to cut the lead to 7-6, and Thomas struck out Jason Talley before giving way to Steve Connor.

After allowing a single to Jason Wood, Connor struck out Simon to end the threat and then worked through the seventh to seal the win.

The two teams combined for 13 runs and 20 hits in a game that was anything but a pitching duel.

"It was a close game," DePew said. "It seemed like the pitchers on both sides couldn't hold it down."

"They hit a couple dingers and it can get away from you," DePew said. "I think the most important thing is that we executed at the right times and got some hits at key moments."

DePew said he was pleased with the team's performance, especially the pitching staff.

"We haven't hit a home run all year," DePew said. "I was amazed I thought, 'Here we go, we're going to score a lot of runs.' We had (Thomas) on the ropes but he pitched a good game after that."

The Kahoks bounced back in the third with a two-run single by Derek Johnson to cut the lead to 4-3. After Thomas and Kuehnell both retired the side in order in the fourth, the Warriors made it 5-3 on consecutive doubles by Kuehnell and Nemeth in the fifth.

But Kuehnell ran out of steam in the bottom of the inning, when Muniz and McFall led off the inning with singles. DePew said Kuehnell was tiring.

"I think the excitement of the whole game got to Shain a little," DePew said. "I think that might have made him a little more fatigued. In the middle innings, he started pitching a little behind."

Billy Niepert relieved Kuehnell and got two outs before a bloop single by Kevin Muniz that fell

good time — we knew we had to show a lot of discipline against them, play a tight game ourselves and wait for them to make the first mistake."

"I was a little worried because they're the type of club, year in and year out, they're totally on your game."

VITELLO'S FEARS turned to reality on the third pitch of the game, when speedy leadoff man Brian Lloyd beat DeSmet shortstop Kenny Lariman's throw to first for an infield single. Jon Reader promptly laid down a sacrifice bunt to move Lloyd to second, and two batters later Lloyd scored on Jason Wood's single to left.

Enter Captain Hook. After Shain Kuehnell grounded out to second in the bottom of the second, DeSmet drew a 2-0 meatball to Scott Nemeth and then watched over his left shoulder as the ball soared over right fielder's head. Elder's single. Nemeth slid into third with a triple and GCHS seemed poised to add to its lead.

Instead, Gissy, perhaps awakened, zeroed in on his target and struck out the next two batters.

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do that for us and tonight he came through. I was real proud of the kids, who came through in the clutch."

"I'd really been struggling of late and I was just trying to get swinging. Talley said, 'Sometimes, you get the breaks.'"

Mt. Vernon starter Jeff Houston cruised through the Warriors' lineup in the first four innings and had one out in the fifth, when Shain Kuehnell reached on a grounder that handuffed third baseman Bryan Monroe. Houston then hit Scott Nemeth with a pitch, and Briggs singled home Kuehnell for the Warriors' first run of the game.

Greg Sturdivant singled to fill the bases, and Houston hit Lloyd to force home Nemeth to make it 4-2. After a strikeout by Jon Reader, Talley doubled home Briggs and Sturdivant.

The five-run rally represented all of the Warriors' scoring on the night. Niepert, making his fourth pitching appearance in

tal at 8 p.m. Thursday at St. Dominic.

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